

C. Amended Claims

Please amend the claims as follows.

1. Marked-Up Amended Claims

7. (Once Amended) A stable suspension according to claim [6] 34 wherein said [therapeutically] biologically active protein is insulin.

9. (Once Amended) A stable suspension according to claim [5] 35 wherein said [therapeutically] biologically active protein is Factor VIII.

31. (Once Amended) A [stable suspension] method according to claim 22 wherein said suspension contains up to 20% V/V of a formulation additive.

32. (Once Amended) A [stable suspension] method according to claim 31 wherein said suspension formulation additive is selected from the group consisting of glycerol, propylene glycol and polyethylene glycol.

33. (Once Amended) A [stable suspension] method according to claim 22 wherein said suspension contains from about 0.5% to about 5.0% of a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient.

2. Clean Copy of Each Amended Claim

A² ✓ 7. A stable suspension according to claim 34 wherein said ~~biologically active protein~~ ^{hormone} is insulin.

A³ ✓ 9. A stable suspension according to claim 35 wherein said ~~biologically active protein~~ ^{cytokine} is Factor VIII.

A⁴ ✓ 31. A method according to claim 22 wherein said suspension contains up to 20% V/V of a formulation additive.

4 32. A method according to claim 31 wherein said ~~suspension~~ formulation additive is selected from the group consisting of glycerol, propylene glycol and polyethylene glycol.

33. A method according to claim 22 wherein said suspension contains from about 0.5% to about 5.0% of a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient.